GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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National Clean Energy Fund
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any record regarding the number of applications received, approved and the amount granted under the National Clean Energy Fund (NCEF) during the last three years;
(b) if so, the details thereof, category-wise and State-wise;
(c) whether the Union Government is receiving financial assistance from any foreign institutions/Governments for supporting NCEF; and
(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY & MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d): As per the information obtained from Ministry of Finance, Ministry wise Statement of the projects along with the amount recommended for funding by the Inter-Ministerial Group (IMG), is given at ANNEXURE.
Funds would be made available for specific projects relating to Innovative methods to adopt to Clean Energy technology and Research & Development: Sponsored by a Ministry/Department of the Government; and
(a) Submitted by Individual/ consortium of organizations in the Government/public sector/private sector in the form of loan or Viability Gap Funding (VGF), as the IMG deems fit on case to case basis. However, the participating organizations will have to put in a minimum financial commitment of 40%. The Government assistance under the NCEF shall in no case exceeds 40% of the total project cost.
(b) Projects which are being funded by any other arm of the Government of India or have received grants from any other national/international body will be ineligible for applying/funding under the NCEF.
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